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In re the Application of

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OF COMBUSTION ENGINES AND THE TRANSMISSION OF
THEIR POWER



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Sir:

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Applicant presents these references so that the Patent Office may, in the first instance, determine any relevancy thereof to the presently claimed invention, see Beckman Instruments, Inc. v. Chemtronics, Inc., 439 F.2d 1369, 1380, 165 USPQ 355, 364 (5th Cir. 1970). Also see Patent Office Rules 104 and 106. Applicant respectfully requests that these references be expressly considered during the prosecution of this


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